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PATENT**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****In re Application of:****Dieter Kress, et al.****Serial No.: 10/092,768****Filed: March 7, 2002****For: TOOL FOR MATERIAL-REMOVING
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